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FAMOUS HORSE

Purchased by Montgomery County Man.

Price Private, But Said to be Good One.

Mr. E. R. Little, of this county, has purchased from Mr. Brooks Curry, of Lexington, the famous stallion, Silent Brook, and now has the horse at his farm.

Silent Brook is the sire of five in 2:10 list while there are three more just outside the list, Butter Brook 2:10½, Ellen Brown 2:10½ and Silent Brigade (2) 2:10½, besides Margaret Bathgate (4) 2:11½, the fastest four-year-old mare of her age. Butter Brook early in the season trotted in 2:08 with the first quarter in 31 and the last quarter in 30 seconds, and but for such strenuous work so early in the season would have taken a record well below 2:10. Ellen Brown was quite a good race mare over the twice arounds, took her record over a half mile track and holds the record for the Lexington Driving Club of 2:09 jointly with The Orator 2:08½. Silent Brigade is possibly as good a trotter if not the best trotter he ever sired. He took a record as a yearling his last effort won the Lexington Stake from Mainleaf and others trotting each heat in 2:10½.

Mr. Curry holds the stallion in very high regard and placed him ahead of all other stallions as a sire. He has owned him two or three different times and it was for him, that Clem Beachey named the horse. Mr. Curry has also owned or trained some of the very best of the Brooks including Billy Burke 2:03½, Emma Brook 2:09½, Betty Brook 2:09½, the Shawby 2:14½ (half mile track), Chatty Brook (dam of the past season's fast four-year-old, Chatty Direct (4) 2:09½.)

Three three-year-olds by him sold at public auction in New York for \$18,250 and his get for two seasons have topped the Old Glory Sale. He is also the fastest trotter in the Wilkes male line in Billy Burke 2:03½. Six others by him sold at auction for an average price of \$2,480.

Sell Tobacco.

Robt. Collier and M. F. Hinson sold their crop of tobacco at Louisville last week at from 5½ to 19c, which averaged them 9½ at home.

WEALTHY CITIZEN

Victim of Paralysis--Mr. Henry C. Hall Dies Aged 67.

Special Train Carried Remains to Stanton Sunday.

Mr. Henry C. Hall, one of Montgomery county's richest men, died at his home near Sideview Friday evening of paralysis of only a few days' duration. Mr. Hall was 67 years old and had been in rather poor health for the last few months and his death, while quite a shock, was not a surprise to his relatives and friends.

Mr. Hall moved to this county from Powell county many years ago and leaves an estate, which is estimated to be worth between \$125,000 and \$150,000. Deceased was an old Union soldier having served during the entire war.

His remains were taken to Stanton, Powell county, Sunday on a special train and interred in the old family burying ground.

It is understood he left no will and that his estate will be divided between the children of his three deceased brothers.

Mr. Rex Hall has qualified as administrator of the estate

BUYS FINE HORSES.

Mr. James R. Magowan, owner of Elmwood Stock Farm, attended the horse sales at Lexington last week and added to his fine collection of brood mares Belle Curry, record 2:18; Panama Bond, record 2:16½. Mr. Magowan also purchased Peter Woodford, a splendid coming two-year-old by Peter the Great, and will place him in training.

Mr. Magowan now has a collection of brood mares second to none in the country, while his collection of horses in training, with anything like reasonable luck, will be among the best money winners out this season. J. Malcomb Forbes and Mainleaf, the stars in the stable are doing nicely and great things are expected of them this year.

Tobacco Canvas.

Farmers don't forget to buy your covering for tobacco beds at The Fair Store.

A little learning means a little lunacy; but a deeper draft dispels the delusion.

IN SERIOUS TROUBLE

Henry Myers, Father and Brother, Murder Man in W. Virginia.

Cause of Trouble Unknown--All Three Men Lodged in Jail.

News has been received by Sheriff W. F. Crooks to the effect that Henry Myers, his brother, Harry, and father, Nelson Myers, recently murdered a prominent club man in Summersville, W. Va., and have been lodged in jail awaiting trial.

The facts as we get them from a West Virginia paper are as follows:

"W. H. Craig, the only living witness to the tragedy, outside the accused parties, states that Hamrick and two of the Myers—Nelson and Henry—met there in front of the bank just about twelve o'clock and had some words and Henry—the younger of the two—said to his father, "You are not going to let him get away?" This, Craig avers was repeated a time or two, and as Hamrick turned away, he—Myers—stepped off the bank steps from where he was standing, and taking a club from under his overcoat, struck Hamrick over the head with such force as to knock him down. Craig says that when Hamrick fell and rolled off the sidewalk, young Myers dealt him another blow, and that the old gentleman, who had been standing by with an open knife, remarked, "Don't kill him."

Henry Myers resided in this city until a short time ago and was a member of what is known as the "flat gang." The lodge of which the murdered man was a member, is going to push the prosecution vigorously and it looks as if all three of the men are in a close place.

MRS. A. G. TRIMBLE DIES AT RIPE AGE

Was One of This County's Oldest and Most Highly Esteemed Women.

Mrs. Arnildi G. Trimble, widow of the late Richard Trimble, died at the home of her son, Joseph W. Trimble, last Thursday evening, after a lingering illness of general debility. Deceased was eighty years of age and was one of the most highly respected women in the county.

The funeral services and burial took place Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. Mrs. Trimble is survived by three children—Magistrate John C. Trimble, Joseph W. Trimble and J. T. Trimble, all residents of Montgomery county.

Held Over to Circuit Court.

Ben Bell, colored, charged with stealing coal from the C. & O. Railway Co., was arrested and brought before Squire C. G. Thompson Saturday and the charge of stealing from a common carrier was placed against him. He was held over to the Circuit Court under a \$250 bond, which he failed to give, and was sent to jail to await his trial. The offense of which the accused is charged is a felony and it is probable he will get free transportation to Frankfort.

Regular \$1.00 to \$1.25 picture frames, glass 16 by 20 inches, this week's sale price 68c.

NEW GAS FIELDS

To be Tapped by Central Ky. Natural Gas Co. in W. Virginia.

Meneffe Wells Falling and the Supply Nearly Exhausted.

At a mass meeting recently held in Lexington to take action concerning the inadequate supply of natural gas, it was brought out in a statement made by Capt. John Tonkin, general manager of the gas company, that the gas wells of Meneffe county, from which Lexington, Winchester and this city are supplied, are being rapidly exhausted, although it is a fact that there was more gas pumped into the three towns during the past two months than at any other equal time, but owing to the extreme cold weather the supply was not sufficient. The company realizing this has spent \$40,000 drilling for new wells in Morgan and Elliott counties, but have been sadly disappointed as it was thought by the owners of this company that there was enough gas in these fields to last for many years. Capt. Tonkin stated that arrangements are rapidly being perfected whereby the company will connect with the West Virginia fields, which are about 90 miles from the Meneffe fields and when this is done it is said we will have an abundant supply of gas no matter how cold the weather gets. It is thought the laying of the pipes to the West Virginia fields will be completed by November 1.

It was brought out in the Lexington meeting that the reason for the limited supply of gas during the recent cold spell was due to the inadequate supply and was no fault of the gas company.

Large fat Mackerel, 3 for 25c, Vanarsdell's.

BANKRUPT STOCK SOLD SATURDAY

Stock of John Robinson Purchased by John A. Judy and S. S.

Pinney.

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The Fair.

LOOSE LEAF MARKET

To be Opened Here Saturday Morning at 10 O'clock.

Plenty of Buyers Promised and Good Sales Expected.

Saturday morning the Burley Tobacco Company will have their first loose leaf sale at the Burley Warehouse on the Levee pike near this city. A large amount of tobacco has already been received, plenty of buyers are promised, the improvements at the warehouse have been completed, and a banner opening sale is being looked forward to. Why haul your tobacco to Lexington, Winchester and other points when you can sell it right here at home and satisfactory prices are guaranteed. Sales will be held here every Saturday until further notice.

TEN YEAR POOL PLAN DISCUSSED.

President Clarence LeBus, of the Burley Tobacco Society, and Mr. Chas. H. Berryman addressed the tobacco growers of this, and adjoining counties Monday afternoon. A large crowd was present, much interest was manifested, and farmers owning about 2,000 acres of land agreed to go into the pool. This, added to what had previously been signed, makes about 3,000 acres in this county.

Woodmen of the World.

Gate City Camp No. 414 will hold its second meeting since organization at Odd Fellows' Hall Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. A large class will be put through the mysteries of Woodcraft.

At this meeting the members of the order will also determine when they will hold their first banquet.

Mr. T. S. Nelligan, the organizer, has gotten together a splendid bunch of young men. He has already secured about 75 members and expects to get a good many more.

It is the intention of the officers and members of the lodge to secure club rooms and action will be taken upon this matter at once.

Lost.

Handsome black leather handbag, containing a ten dollar bill and three dollars in silver, between the Rogers Co. and my residence on Holt avenue. Return to Gazette office and receive reward.

Mrs. J. C. Wood.

Fresh oysters daily at Vanarsdell's.

Brick Street Commission in Session Monday Night.

Decided Without Dissenting Vote.

At a meeting of the members of the Brick Street Commission recently appointed by the City Council, composed of Mayor W. A. Samuels, Messrs. C. C. Chenault, C. H. Petry, R. D. Barnes and Ed. L. William, the five bids submitted by the contractors for building the streets were discussed and the commission decided without a dissenting vote to recommend to the Council that the bid of Hancock & Co., of Louisville, Ky., being the lowest bid received be accepted by the city. At the time of our going to press however the Commission has not decided whether to accept the Peebles brick at \$1.90 or the Portsmouth granite brick at \$1.86 per sq. yard. While this price is slightly higher than the work cost last year the commission calls attention to the fact that the contractor who put down the brick streets last year bid \$2.45 this year.

The commission is composed of men who are very much interested as every member of the commission has property that will be bricked and it is to their advantage to get the streets as reasonable as possible. The council will meet Monday, February 26, to pass upon the proposition.

Catch Chicken Thieves.

Mr. W. B. Henry, of Stepstone, neighborhood, had nine chickens stolen from him Monday and had warrants issued for George Willoughby, Will Gardner and Herbert Orme. In fifteen minutes after the warrant was placed in Officer James Tipton's hands, he had recovered the chickens and arrested one of the men named in the warrant.

Willoughby and Gardner are men, while Orme is only a boy, but has been in trouble before. His parents, who have made every effort to reform him, have the sympathy of many friends.

For Rent.

Farm of 60 acres near Camargo, this county. 10 acres of extra good corn land, 4 acres tobacco land, 6 acres oats and 12 acres good meadow. Phone 611. 33-2t. W. H. WYATT.

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Economizes Butter, Flour, Eggs; makes the food more appetizing and wholesome

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All patterns, colors and prices in Ginghams
The latest in Embroideries
Everything new in Cotton Voiles and Border-Lawns
The NEW SHADE in Woolen Goods

You can find all of these and more at

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Regular \$1.00 to \$1.25 picture frames, glass 16 by 20 inches, this week's sale price 68c.

The Fair.

Fresh line of cereals of all kinds at Vanarsdell's.

PUBLIC SALE

OF
Land and Personality

We, the undersigned, offer for Public Sale, on

Tuesday, March 5

on the premises, at 10 a. m., the splendid farm of Joseph Johnson, lately deceased, consisting of 130 acres of land, more or less, subject to survey, situated on the Mt. Sterling and Paris turnpike, six miles from the city limits of Mt. Sterling and easily accessible to schools and churches. This farm lies in one tract, almost a perfect square, and has at least one-third of a mile of pike frontage. There are 90 acres in grass and mostly good tobacco land, balance in stubble, all of it in a high state of cultivation. It has upon it a large two-story frame residence, with metal roof, containing 8 rooms, 2 halls, excellently built and in good repair. Cistern and well at the door, all necessary outbuildings and two tobacco barns, capacity 8 acres, good stock barn and corn crib, fencing in good condition and watered by one pool, one pond and five never failing springs. This place must be seen to be appreciated, as it is the best country home for sale at this time in the county of Montgomery. Mr. Wells Johnson, who is on the place, or either of the undersigned will gladly show you the farm. At the same time and place we will offer for sale the following personality.

1 sorrel Horse, 6 years old, good worker and driver	1 Feed Grinder, 1 small Grist Mill
1 bay Mare, 12 years old, safe for lady to drive	1 30-gallon Gasoline Tank
1 sorrel Mare, 5 years old, in foal to Jack	2 sets Wagon Harness and other gear
1 16-hand 6 year-old Mare Mule, good worker and sound	1 Hay Fork and Pulley
1 Jersey Cow, extra good	1 self-locking Pulley
1 Sow and 9 Shoots, weighing 75 pounds	1 rubber tired Buggy, 1 Road Wagon
9 dozen good Plymouth Rock Chickens	2 sets Buggy Harness
1 Corn King Manure Spreader, good as new	1 Cycle Grinder and combination Tool Grinders
1 Mowing Machine	1 set of Hedge Tools
1 10-disc Superior Wheat Drill	2 tons extra good Baled Timothy Hay
1 Riding Cultivator	1 Refrigerator
1 2-horse Corn Planter	1 Cook Stove and Cooking Utensils
1 Iron Roller, 4-bbl, Water Tank, new	1 Sharples Cream Separator
1 Hay Rake, 1 Randall Harrow, new	Diggers, Shovels and other Tools too numerous to mention
1 Studebaker Wagon	1 Piano, 1 suit Parlor Furniture
1 Hay Frame, 1 2-horse Sled	1 Hat Rack, 1 Book Case, 1 Couch
2 Vulcan Plows, 2 double shovel Plows and Single Trees, etc.	5 Beds, 1 Chest of Drawers
1 4-horse power Gasoline Engine, comparatively new	3 Kitchen Tables and Corner Cupboard
1 Cutting Box with 20-ft. Carrier	2 Wardrobes, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen Dining Room Chairs and other household articles
	About 175 Locus Posts and some Tobacco Sticks

TERMS MADE KNOWN ON DAY OF SALE

L. B. Greene & J. K. Johnson, Trustees

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Individuality in Farming.

There is too much imitation in agricultural practices. Thousands of men are unthinking followers where there is one steadfast, unwavering leader. A farmer's vocation does not compel this sort of blind trailing after the crowd. He is not in an army under a general. He is himself a general, with the opportunity and the incentive to plan and work out his own campaigns. If he is wise he will take much counsel, observe closely and rely finally on his own judgment. Even if that prove costly, as occasionally it surely will, it is better for him; he will know his lesson, and grow in the self-developed power to deal with his own problems.

If action in a given case followed the careful, deliberate thought of a community of farmers, then the individual who dissented and went a contrary way would be unwise and almost inevitably unsuccessful. But the vast majority of people do not think; they act, and think afterwards. Since folk of this type are easily swayed by economic and political conditions which they do not understand, they invariably rush this way or that in unreasoning, inarticulate masses, sacrificing property and losing their way toward any clear course of effective action.

Agriculture as a business needs more men who have the brains, the will and the courage to act with unshakable personal independence, calm and resolute when the multitude is stampeding, and pursuing the course which they have reached by thought. Such men do not imitate or copy; they do not follow in blind faith. They think and act as free individuals, basing their acts and attitudes upon a careful study of the facts, so far as they can ascertain them.

Congressional District

BILL AGREED ON.

The Joint Congressional Redistricting Committee of the Senate and House met last week and agreed on a bill for the eleven Congressional districts in the State.

There is no change in the first six districts.

Montgomery, Clark, Estill and Powell are taken from the Tenth and placed in the Seventh.

Jackson, Owsley, Perry and Letcher are taken from the Eleventh and placed in the Tenth. Adair and Casey are taken from the Eleventh and placed in the Eighth.

Rockcastle is taken from the Eighth and placed in the Eleventh.

FRECKLES

February Worst Month For This Trouble--How to Remove Easily.

There's no reason why nearly everybody freckles in February, but happily there is also a cure for these ugly blemishes, and no one need stay freckled.

Simply get one ounce of othine, double strength, from Wm. S. Lloyd and apply a little of it at night, and in the morning you will see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the light ones have vanished entirely. Now is the time to rid yourself of freckles, for if not removed now they will stay all summer, and spoil an otherwise beautiful complexion.

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Buy, Sell and Rent Real Estate, Loan Money, to or For You. Write the Best Insurance Execute Bonds for you, put you Next to best investments. Sell The Best Autos--THE WHITE MOTOR CAR. Don't fail to see them. 44-tf.

Carriage to Meet Trains.

Call Lloyd's stable, 'phone 281 for Will Bean for baggage. Also have a carriage that will meet all trains, 25 cents each way. 17tf

Every Farmer for Himself.

The campaign of agricultural education is directed to the individual farmer. The teachings of science are for him to apply or reject. No nation-wide organization can compel a man to till his land in any way that he does not choose. While the size of each farmer's crop is a factor in the nation's production, he is the sole recipient of the profits from it. His example may lead neighbors to increased production, but at no cost to him.

The large aspect of the nation's total crop production is a matter which must adjust itself mainly by the law of supply and demand. The total proceeds from the past year's crops will be as great as for the year before, although the total yield was generally less. The increased price prevented general financial embarrassment because of the bad season, but the income from the past year's crops was not equally distributed. Those who did the most intelligent farming gathered crops of sufficient size to make considerably more income than in the good year when the shiftless ones also harvested large crops.

Whether the acreage devoted to any particular crop is large or small, the same principle dominates returns. The man who secures a large yield per acre, and produces it economically, is the one who makes the most profit. If the general crop is so large as to carry the price very low, he may not profit greatly, but he will fare much better than a man whose smaller crop cost him more per bushel or ton.

There is no danger that the widespread interest in better farm practices will result in overproduction. They will not be generally adopted suddenly enough for that. Farmers cannot hope to stand or fall together on any line of farm management. Rather those who most perfectly adapt their methods to the ever-changing conditions will prosper, while those who hang back for some general stroke of good fortune or legislative regulation, or a farmers' trust to make their land or their work unduly remunerative, will always be complaining of their "hard luck" and of overproduction in good years and crop failures when the season is adverse.

Every farmer must work for himself. That is the only way he will ever bring his land up to its greatest productivity. Large yields per acre at low cost per bushel or ton, with soil fertility maintained, are the keynotes of agricultural success. Educational agencies are endeavoring to supply the information which progressive farmers crave. This must be used by each farmer for himself. Incidentally the example of a successful farmer is the best means of spreading the welcome knowledge among his neighbors.

Why: Tomorrow may die in the womb, and Yesterday sleeps soundly in the grave. Today alone lives, so grasp it while it yet has life, and hold it until the last moment.



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PAINTED IN FIRST CENTURY

Remarkable Colored Portraits on Wood Found by Prof. Flinders Petrie in Egypt.

With the revived interest in art, both ancient and modern, it is surprising that so little attention has been paid to the recent exhibition by Prof. Flinders Petrie of some remarkable color portraits which he discovered in an Egyptian cemetery at Fayoum. The cemetery dates from about the first century and its occupants were probably Romans. The portraits which the professor has discovered are painted on thin cedar wood and were used as a covering over the face of each mummified body. Professor Petrie considers that these are probably the earliest paintings known, and says that many of the portraits are of such individuality and strength as to challenge comparison with the technique and imagination of modern artists. This is particularly remarkable from the fact that the basic material of the paints is beeswax, which must have been melted to receive the pigment, and then melted again immediately before use. The colors have been found to consist of mineral ochre, and haematite, the blacks and charcoal, and the pinks and purples are madder. It is interesting to note that several modern artists have attempted to use beeswax in their pigments, but the results have been unsatisfactory, owing to its tendency to either harden too slowly, which causes the colors to run, or too quickly, causing the brush to become clouded.

NOT LOST!



NOW IT IS INK-LESS PRINTING

Process Was Discovered by an Englishman by Accident.

It is very possible that before long newspapers will be printed without the use of printing ink. Even the colored supplements are to be printed without ink. A German publication, Die Welt der Technik, devoted to scientific matters and inventions, credits the discovery of the inkless printing process to an English inventor.

In the course of some electrical experiments, it says, he accidentally pressed a coin, which had fallen on to the table and was rolling off, against a metallic plate covered with a piece of paper, and at the same time against an insulated electric line. To his amazement he saw a sepia print of the coin impressed upon the paper. This happened about twelve years ago. Since then the inventor has followed up this observation, and has now developed a process for printing without ink. He uses dry paper, impregnated with certain chemicals, whose nature is not disclosed.

In the process of printing the paper travels over a metal plate and the type is applied on the opposite side, a current of electricity passing through the paper. According to the particular metal used for the substratum, and according to the mode of impregnation of the paper, a great variety of different colors may be produced, so that multi-color printing becomes an easy matter. (New York World)

Never can tell when you'll mash a finger or suffer a cut, bruise, burn or scald. Be prepared. Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil instantly relieves the pain—quickly cures the wound. 1m

Attention Educators.

The Kentucky Educational Association is the organized leader in matters educational in the State, and its plain duty is to make a supreme effort to improve the content, the organization and the administration of the public schools. If the organized teachers of the State do not take and maintain and intelligent and patriotic lead in these matters which embrace their life work, have they any cause to complain if others assume their abdicated leadership. One part of our school system cannot suffer without all parts suffer. It is the duty of every man and woman engaged in school work of every grade and kind to put his shoulder to the wheel and assist in lifting the schools out of the rut of indifference. Nero fiddled while Rome burned; let no school men bicker while the children of the State suffer. It is the duty of every teacher to attend the annual meeting of this Association and to lend his hand and heart to the great work it is doing. The next meeting will be held in Louisville June 25-27.

"Had dyspepsia or indigestion for years. No appetite, and what I did eat distressed me terribly. Burdock Blood Bitters cured me."

—J. H. Walker, Sunbury, Ohio.

Fifty-four Indicted.

More than forty of the fifty-four men indicted by the Federal grand jury for conspiracy in connection with dynamiting outrages have been arrested. Frank M. Ryan, president of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers, who is accused, issued a statement, declaring he is innocent.

Bring us your country produce. We will treat you right. S. E. Kelly & Co.

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LAND FOR SALE

I will sell privately thirty-nine acres of land on the Kiddville pike, about five miles from Mt. Sterling, and being part of the farm lately owned by Silas Prewitt. For further information see H. R. Prewitt, Mt. Sterling, Kentucky, or

C. R. Prewitt, Agt.

Mt. Sterling, Ky., R. F. D. 1

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Sloan's book on Horses, Cattle, Hogs and Poultry sent free. Address

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Life Saver

In a letter from Branchland, W. Va., Mrs. Elizabeth Chapman says: "I suffered from womanly troubles nearly five years. All the doctors in the country did me no good. I took Cardul, and now I am entirely well. I feel like a new woman. Cardul saved my life! All who suffer from womanly trouble should give Cardul a trial."

Take CARDUL

The Woman's Tonic

50 years of proof have convinced those who tested it, that Cardul quickly relieves aches and pains due to womanly weakness, and helps nature to build up weak women to health and strength. Thousands of women have found Cardul to be a real life saver. Why not test it for your case? Take Cardul today!

L. C. McCormick Receives Verdict

For \$300 at Georgetown in a Suit Against Liverymen of That City.

In Circuit Court at Georgetown Wednesday of last week L. C. McCormick, of this city, who had brought suit against Marow Simpson and others for \$10,000 damages was given a judgment for \$300.

McCormick went to Georgetown during July, 1910, while the Scott County Fair was in progress, expecting to run his automobile back and forth to the fair grounds, carrying passengers. The defendants, who comprise all of the liverymen of Georgetown, protested against his taking their trade from them, when they were citizens of the town, and had each contributed liberally to the Fair Association.

According to Mr. McCormick's testimony, the defendants assaulted him, for which he prayed damages to the amount of \$10,000. A brilliant array of attorneys represented the two sides of the case. For the plaintiff there were Judge Robert Winn, and Mr. Charles Grubbs, of this place, and Mr. James B. Finnell, Jr., and for the defense there were, Mr. James H. Settle, of Owenton, and Messrs. Craig and Victor Bradley, and H. Church Ford.

Judgment in the sum of \$600 each against Marow Simpson, George Traylor, John G. Bradford, Walter Powell and Job Hughes was given the plaintiff. Messrs. Wright and Dunn the other two liverymen being dismissed.

The case lasted nearly three days.

Don't let the baby suffer from eczema, sores or any itching of the skin. Doan's Ointment gives instant relief, cures quickly. Perfectly safe for children. All druggist sell it.

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Montgomery's Valuation.

The total valuation of assessed property for Montgomery county, just completed, is \$6,483,885, a decrease of \$215,000 from last year. Bank assessments total \$233,704. There were found in the county 2,927 voters and 2,222 school children.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

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Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

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If readers will take an interest in the advertisements—if they will help to pick out those that don't ring true (if there be any) they will find THE PUBLISHER ONLY TOO WILLING TO CO-OPERATE to exclude the untrue printed words of advertisers.

The publisher of a newspaper—don't ever forget it—DOES MORE FOR HIS COMMUNITY THAN ANY THOUSAND INDIVIDUALS, be they ever so important. As a rule he gets less financial return than any business enterprise in his community—considering the money invested and the tremendous cost of producing a satisfactory newspaper.

The need of money is always great, but even its need will not influence a publisher to print that which will defraud or deceive his readers.

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The Glee Club of State University, with Prof. F. Lyman Wheeler director and manager, will be at Taber Opera House Friday night, March 8, 1912. By the Presbyterian Church. 31-34-35

REAL GIANT FROM CARDIFF

Former Circus Attraction Has Taken Out His Citizenship Papers.

When the attendants in the naturalization court in the Fairfield county court house looked up one afternoon and saw bending to come through the doorway the form of a man eight feet one inch tall all official dignity was thrown to the winds.

M. J. Flanagan, naturalization clerk, at once recognized the visitor as Capt. George Auger, the ex-circus giant, who is now living in retirement on a farm in Fairfield.

Captain Auger is a native of Cardiff, Wales. He was once a policeman in London, but his stature drew so many people about him that he couldn't handle the crowds he himself attracted, so he went into the circus business.

Lately he had been appearing in a vaudeville production of "Jack the Giant Killer," but now he says he is done with the stage.

He served notice of becoming a citizen several years ago, got his first papers and filed the customary notice of 90 days for his final papers.

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WHAT STARTED THE CONFLICT

Gen. Fred Grant's Story Told to Illustrate the Uselessness of Arbitration.

Gen. F. D. Grant, apropos of the uselessness of arbitration as exemplified in the case of the Turkoo-Italian war, said the other day in New York:

"It reminds me of a story. According to this story, a war was going on, and one day, the papers being full of the grim details of a bloody battle, a woman said to her husband:

"This slaughter is shocking. It's fiendish. Can nothing be done to stop it?"

"I'm afraid not," her husband answered.

"Why don't both sides come together and arbitrate?" she cried.

"They did," said he. "They did, way back in June. That's how the gol-durned thing started."

ROSEN'S TRIBUTE TO PRESS

Former Russian Ambassador Says He Hasn't Been Misquoted by Reporters in 35 Years.

When Baron Rosen, the retiring Russian ambassador, took passage at New York in the *Muretanian* on his return trip to St. Petersburg, where he is to be minister of foreign affairs, a reporter sought to procure from him his opinions on current events. Baron Rosen naturally had nothing to say under this head, but what he did have to say is worth noting:

"I have spent 35 years in this country, and in all that time I have never been misquoted by a newspaper man. I am, therefore, certain that none of you will misquote me now, incorrectly, when I say that I cannot speak on any public subject, for I am still true to my training as a diplomat."—Exchange.

AN \$8 CRY.

"My wife had a three-minute cry the other day that cost \$8," said the man, "but she says she got her money's worth, and I guess she did. It was her birthday. She had not seen her mother for two years, and in a generous spirit besetting the day I had arranged that she and the old lady should have a little chat over the long distance telephone. It was a dead secret. I had made all the plans on my own initiative, and the call came to her as a complete surprise. I answered it myself.

"Belle," said I, "what do you think? Your mother wants to talk to you!"

"She nearly fainted. 'Oh, mother,' she shouted into the receiver, and then began to cry. With the exception of occasional repetitions of 'Oh, mother,' that was all she did for three minutes. I had it from her afterward that her mother's vocabulary was equally limited. Personally I considered the interview a failure, but my wife insists that both she and her mother had one of the loveliest experiences of their lives."—New York Sun.

SUCH A HORRID JUDGE.

The woman jury had been out for hours.

The judge looked tired, the clerk yawned, the loungers slept.

The bailiff, after listening at the keyhole several times, shook his head with a discouraged air.

And then, quite unexpectedly, the jury announced it was ready to report, and the 12 women filed in.

"Have you agreed upon a verdict?" the judge demanded.

The forelady nodded and smiled.

"We have agreed upon 12 verdicts, your honor," she told him in her flute-like voice.

"You are discharged!" roared the judge.

"Isn't it horrid!" said the women.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

CLOSE CALCULATION.

"It seems to me," said a customer to his barber, "that you ought to lower your price for a shave in these hard times."

The barber shook his head sadly and said:

"Can't be done. Nowadays everybody wears such a long face that we have a great deal more surface to shave over!"—Life.

THEIR NATURE.

"Coal strikes ought not to be considered big news."

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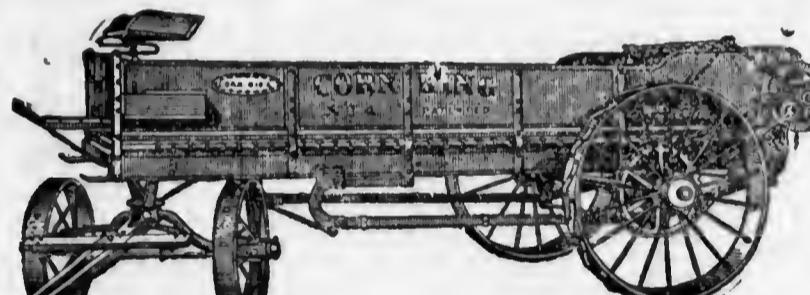
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Under the more or less artificial conditions which surround purebred stock there is a marked tendency toward over-refinement. This effect is not expressed so much in bodily form as in weakened breeding powers and decreased vitality. Irregular and abortive breeders, lessened fecundity and a low average milk production are the inevitable accompaniments of racial declines.

Fundamental weaknesses resulting from lowered vitality reproduce and accentuate themselves. Herds, flocks and studs maintained in unsanitary buildings, stinted as to exercise and outdoor life and fed liberally but not wisely, inevitably weaken the life-stream or germ plasm from which their posterity is to emerge. When the life-stream grows sluggish the constitutional vigor and reproductive powers of the stock descended from it are sure to be impaired. As a natural consequence such stock is less and less resistant, as the generations increase, to common diseases. Herein lies the chief explanation of the spread and seriousness of practically all the ills with which our farm stock is afflicted. Another explanation of course is that owing to the advance in veterinary science diseases are more often detected now than they were years ago, when many of them were doubtless quite as prevalent as at present.

To develop and maintain the few absolutely essential values in modern breeds of stock do not require the use of expensive buildings or the lavishling of feed and attention upon them. But the imperative need is for more discretion in feeding and management. Instead of two or three feeds there should be six or eight on which to draw in compounding rations. Stables, barns and sheds should be kept cleaner and better ventilated. Sires and dams should be selected with special reference to constitution and vitality, fecundity as indicated by hereditary, and general adherence to types which, without offsetting these values, commend themselves to the block or other economic use.

Horse Trade Makes Trouble.

In the Bath Circuit Court Wayne Anderson, a horse trader of this county, filed suit against Pete Lee, colored, of Bath county, claiming \$1,000 damages for alleged false arrest and imprisonment. The suit is the outcome of a horse trade in this county last winter, in which Lee charged Anderson with an attempt to defraud him out of a horse. At the trial Anderson was acquitted.

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PUT US IN THE NINTH.

We have heard a good many people mention the proposed redistricting bill, which, if passed, will put Montgomery county in the Seventh Congressional District, and without exception our citizens seem to prefer going into the Ninth.

We have little in common with the counties of the Seventh, while with the counties of the Ninth we have many mutual interests.

We are informed a huge petition asking that Montgomery county be put in the Ninth has been sent to Frankfort, and while we have no particular interest in the matter, we would be glad to see the Legislature grant the request of our citizens.

Circuit Judge Allie W. Young, of Mt. Sterling, was in Louisville this week. Judge Young has an exceedingly wide acquaintance here, and his friends gave him a cordial greeting. Before coming to Louisville Judge Young spent several days at Frankfort, and says the Democrats in the Legislature are sincere and earnest in their efforts to fulfill their pledges to the people, and that it has been many years since political conditions, from a Democratic viewpoint, were as rosy as they are today in Kentucky.—John D. Wakefield in Cincinnati Enquirer.

We are indebted to our friend, Mr. Fred Bassett, for the following: "A duck lays an egg and don't say a word; a hen lays an egg and cackles all over the barnyard; we eat the hen egg but we don't eat the duck egg. What's the answer? The hen advertises."

Do YOU?

New Auto.

Mr. Ollie W. McCormick last week received his new White automobile and it certainly is a splendid looking and running little car. Messrs. W. R. McKee and W. Caldwell Clay, who are acting as agents for the White in this section, have placed several cars and will gladly demonstrate the car to prospective buyers. If you are thinking of buying a car you will make no mistake to look at theirs.

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A rare treat is promised those who attend the two performances of "Two of a Kind" and "The Magic Mirror" at the Tabb Opera House Thursday, February 22. Have you gotten your ticket?

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Fish for Montgomery.

Mayor W. A. Samuels and Mr. J. Clay Cooper have just secured an order from the U. S. Government for 1,017,500 fish for the various streams and ponds in Montgomery county. These fish will be shipped here some time this spring. The above named gentlemen are perfecting a plan to organize a Fishing Club of several hundred members to protect the fish and have the assurances of the government that it will furnish as many fish as we need to stock every pond in the county if the fish are properly protected. These gentlemen are to be complimented upon securing these fish and it is hoped that every lover of the sport will join hands in helping to perfect the organization for their protection.

Going to the Jewelry Auction?

Collar Bone Broken.

Dorothy, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. S. Porter, while playing at their residence Saturday, fell from the back porch, breaking her collar bone in two places. She is getting along nicely.

Read about the big auction sale to begin Thursday, February 22.

The price of virtue never yet bought a lasting happiness.

Raid Crap Game.

Chief Gibbons and officers Tipton, Smith and Scott raided a crap game in "Rat" alley Monday night and succeeded in catching seven negro men. When the officers entered the room the negroes immediately blew out the lamp and broke for the doors and windows, but the officers threatened to begin shooting and the lamp was lighted at once. They found three men in a cradle, one under the mattress and two others who pretended to be asleep, lying on top of him. The officers succeeded in rousing up the whole crowd without any damage being done.

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MR. BROWN STILL HOLDING ON

Displaying the Bouncing Abilities of Tennis Ball, Prison Commissioner Has Been Able to Come Back Each Time the Governor Has Thought He Had Him Laid, and the End is Not Yet in Sight.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 20.—With the 1912 session of the legislature almost nearing the end, Eli H. Brown still is a member of the prison commission and is by no means certain that his crown will be knocked off at all. If the session should end without the passage of any bill removing the present prison commission, it is believed to be certain that the governor would call an extra session, to pass a new prison commission act but this possibly will not be necessary. The governor, to use a slang phrase, went after the scalp of Mr. Brown. He thought he had it several times, but Mr. Brown showed the bouncing abilities of a tennis ball and has come back each time.

As predicted in this column last week, Mr. Brown made his last play on a possible disagreement between the house and the senate over the prison bills. The surprise was when the house not only rejected the senate amendment which would allow all those holding office in the prisons on Jan. 1, 1912 to hold onto their jobs for four years, but went everybody a few better and turned down the bi-partisan idea altogether. The bill that the house passed does not pretend to take the prison out of politics. It leaves them in, decidedly and the only thing it does is to turn the patronage over from one set of Democrats to another set. The Republicans do not get a smell. In fact they did not stand much chance either way, for under the senate bill they would have gotten two commissioners and then no jobs until four years had passed except such places as might happen to be vacated. The house bill would throw out of their jobs every guard, deputy and warden now employed in the prisons, if the new commission wanted their places. Of course, some would have "pull" enough to have themselves retained.

The present prison commission, of which Mr. Brown is the real fighting representative, has a great deal of strength in the senate and it has always been a close vote there. They will now rally their strength to have the senate reject the house bill entirely. A conference committee will be appointed and the two houses will try to get together on a bill that can be passed by both houses, with Mr. Brown hoping that there can be no agreement during the present session. If the session ends with no bill passed he will hold on and Finley Fogg will hold also for two years.

Democratic members of the legislature have been having much excitement during the present session playing presidential politics. For instance, somebody offered a resolution inviting Mr. Hearst to come to Frankfort and make an address to the legislature. Nearly everybody voted for it, being perfectly willing to have Mr. Hearst or anybody else address the legislature. Then the Wilson men had a resolution offered inviting Gov. Woodrow Wilson of New Jersey to come to Frankfort. That went through. Then the Harmon men joined in and had Gov. Harmon asked. The Republicans, of course, had their own list, which started off with the colonel, and included the prospective candidates. The Republicans shied off and not one of them accepted, probably regarding it as settled that Mr. Taft will carry Kentucky, the machine being lined up for him.

The Democrats accepted, however, Mr. Hearst was to have been here last week, but had to cancel his date on account of illness in his family. Gov. Wilson came and was given such a cordial reception and so much enthusiasm for him was shown that even the Wilson men were surprised. The New Jersey governor made two speeches here and each was a literary masterpiece. The politician writer for the Newark News, who has spent a great deal of time with Gov. Wilson during his campaign and since he has been governor, said, at the Wilson "dollar" banquet, that the two speeches the governor had made in Frankfort were the best speeches he had ever heard the governor make, "and I have heard him make more than 200 speeches, not only in his home state, but in other states," he said.

The Harmon men are planning a smoker instead of a dinner and are going to have it free so that everybody who wants to do so can attend. This means that there will be a large crowd. The governor is known in Frankfort where he has visited before and he is a good mixer, well liked. All the members of the legislature, whether Harmon men or not will attend for they like to listen to Gov. Harmon talk and watch the expert way he handles himself in a crowd. Much emphasis, too, is being laid on the fact that

the smoker will be free, this being a plus to Democratic simplification.

Green Keller of Carlisle knows more about parliamentary tactics than any other member of the present house, although that is not saying very much, and he put into play some of his parliamentary skill last week to stop debate on the bill creating a fire insurance rate commission, whose duty it shall be to fix and control rates. Mr. Keller is not in favor of the bill. He thinks, like some others who have changed their minds on this question since the legislature met, that it would be putting too much power in the hands of men who know nothing about insurance rate making.

A bill has already passed the senate, having gotten through with not a vote against it, before the representatives of the fire insurance companies had waked up to the danger that existed. But they at once went to work on the house members and have made so much headway that the passage of the bill now is by no means certain. The house had a bill of its own, and that bill came up in the house last week. Somebody moved that the session be extended until the bill under discussion was disposed of. That went through with a whoop and they began debating the house bill. Mr. Keller, as has been said, opposed the bill and did not think it would serve any good purpose.

The debate lasted for some little while, but at length somebody moved to substitute the senate bill, which has already passed, for the house bill, the measures being almost similar. The motion to substitute was carried and it looked as though the house was then going ahead, at least the house, thought it was going ahead, and pass the senate bill. But Mr. Keller called attention to the fact that when the senate bill was adopted as a substitute, the house bill no longer was under discussion. The chairman sustained his point of order and the house caught its breath and laughed at the way it had backed itself around into a trap. That ended any further talk about the fire insurance commission bill and now nobody seems to know just where they are as regards the act.

This is the first time during the present session that any member has used his parliamentary knowledge to win a victory, though time was when such a thing happened every day during a session. Mr. Keller was clerk of the house for a long time and he knows the rules, but most of the time he does not care enough to take a hand.

Down at the governor's reception the night of his valentine party, there was an immense crowd and the governor, who is the most hospitable man imaginable, was worried all during the evening for fear there would be too many persons present. He had been deluged with letters from all over the state from persons who had expressed a desire to attend the valentine party. The report had gotten out that the governor's engagement was to be announced that night and that the next mistress of the mansion would be there to receive with him. This, coupled with the fact that the governor's staff was to be there in full uniform, served to draw a big crowd.

There was never any idea of the governor's engagement being announced; in fact the governor has no idea of marrying again. The sweet and reverential "ay" in which he talks of his wife shows that he has no thought of another matrimonial venture. The governor refused to allow anybody to commiserate with him, either, over living alone in the mansion with no woman at the head. He says he has an excellent housekeeper, a good cook and a good butler and he gets along without any discomfort or inconvenience. His stenographer, Oscar Bozman, lives with him, occupying a place of great confidence.

The governor is going to have his hands pretty full between now and the middle of June, too, for he will have to appoint about sixty persons to new offices, that is, of course, if all the bills now pending should become laws. Most of the bills which give the governor power to make appointments will be passed, it is pretty safe to say. The present governor is getting back some of the power that he had when he was governor thirty-six years ago and before the appointive power was taken out of the hands of the chief executive to a large extent.

Of course, in many instances, with bills now pending the men who are to occupy the new positions have been selected and it will not be hard for the governor to decide who will be appointed, but he will have some fifty applications for each and every job that is at his disposal and the letters and telegrams of endorsement will take up a bunch of his time just to read them all. Most governors would find all this rush of office seeking irksome, but Gov. McCreary does not seem to care a bit and is willing to put up with it cheerfully.

The numerous probes that have been started during the present session have amounted to nothing and so little that was interesting has been brought out that the newspapers have dropped mention of the committees and the investigations have been making slow progress as the Lorimer case. They went after Dr. J. N. McCormack, secretary of the state board of health, for instance, and have failed to turn up anything that reflects anything but credit on the doctor. The only thing they have accomplished was to make Dr. McCormack very angry once or twice and his friends indignant that a man of his age and service to the state should be subjected to badgering and pestering by members of the legislature half his age and having no power by position only.

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PERSONAL.

Miss Mary Blevins was in Lexington last Friday.

Miss Mayme Osborne spent Sunday in Winchester.

Miss Anna Moss visited in Lexington and Paris last week.

Miss Rebecca Calk visited friends in Lexington last week.

Mr. G. G. Prewitt, of Winchester, was in town Monday.

Miss Nancy Berkley returned home from Frankfort Saturday.

Mrs. Sarah Winn has returned from a visit to Nashville, Tenn.

Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Stoops left last week for Florida to be gone several weeks.

Miss Laura G. Williams, of Spring Station, is visiting her sister, Mrs. G. B. Senff.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Patterson, of Owingsville, visited relatives in this city last week.

Mrs. Rezin McClure returned Saturday from a visit to relatives near Nicholasville.

Miss Lucy Smith is visiting her brother, Mr. Robert Smith, at Columbus, Ohio.

Miss Margaret Seaton, of Rush, Ky., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McNeil this week.

Mrs. Robt. Trimble and son, Robert, Jr., were in Louisville several days last week.

Miss Laura Shackelford is spending the winter with her brother at Greenville, Miss.

Mr. Robert Woods, of Stanford, visited his sister, Mrs. G. C. Anderson, the first of the week.

Mr. Robert Yent, of Lexington, is installing the electrical plant in the new Government building.

Mrs. Geo. W. Anderson, Jr., and children have returned from a three weeks' visit in Clay City.

Mr. Roger Drake, who has been visiting in Philadelphia for several weeks, returned home Sunday.

Mr. Priest Kemper, of Bourbon county, visited relatives and friends here the first of the week.

Miss Elizabeth Cockrell has returned from a delightful visit to Mrs. B. F. Chenault at Versailles.

Mrs. Leslie McCormick and

Mrs. Ollie McCormick spent Thursday with Mrs. Frank Chenault at Versailles.

Mr. J. Taylor Day, of Hazel Green, is visiting relatives here this week.

Miss Mayme T. Redmon, of Washington, arrived home Sunday to be at the bedside of her little niece, Harriett Enoch.

Miss Sue Woods, of Stanford, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. G. C. Anderson, returned to her home Saturday.

Mr. Malcolm Thompson, of Lexington, is the guest of the family of Dr. W. R. Thompson, his son, this week.

Mr. J. S. Kidd, of Cincinnati, Ohio, visited his sister, Mrs. Geo. W. Anderson, Sr., the past week.

Mrs. C. W. Heck, of Paris, and Mrs. F. E. Fogg, of Frankfort, visited Mrs. W. C. Moore from Saturday until Tuesday.

J. Gano Johnson attended the banquet of saddle horsemen at the Phoenix Hotel in Lexington Friday evening.

Mrs. R. G. Stoner has returned from several weeks' visit to friends in New York and also to Mrs. General Helm, in Louisville.

Messrs. Allen G. Prewitt and Lee O'Rear attended the Hardware Convention which was held at the Seelbach in Louisville last week.

Mr. H. G. Hoffman left Saturday for Chicago on a business trip. While in Illinois Mr. Hoffman will visit relatives at Quincy and Decatur.

Mrs. Elizabeth Thomson, Mrs. W. P. Guthrie and daughters, Elizabeth and Margaret, are visiting Dr. Frank Thomson and family at Dayton, Ohio. Mrs. Guthrie and children will only be gone a short while, but Mrs. Thomson will make her future home in Dayton.

Mrs. P. K. McKenna was in Lexington last week consulting Dr. E. M. McKee, from whom she is taking treatment.

Master Paul Hunt, who is threatened with malarial fever, is getting along nicely.

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THE SICK

Mrs. W. H. Berry has been confined to her home for several days with lagrippe.

Mrs. Henry Maher's condition remains about the same.

Mr. Arthur Haydon is showing some improvement.

Mrs. M. S. Kelly continues to improve.

Mr. Vibart Sewell, who has been quite sick for the past four weeks, is slowly improving.

Mrs. George Berkley fell in getting out of a carriage Saturday afternoon and sprained her ankle.

Miss Eni Lee Young has been at home for several days with a cold.

Little Miss Harriett Enoch, who was taken to Louisville last week to specialist, was brought home Monday night and still remains in a dangerous condition.

Mrs. E. Wamsley, who has been very ill for some days past, is still dangerously sick.

Mr. J. D. Hazelrigg's condition remains about the same.

Dr. S. E. Spratt is confined to his room with la grippe.

J. G. Trimble, Sr., has been sick for several days.

Mrs. Albert Turley has been quite sick for several days with la grippe.

Little Mabel, daughter of C. M. Foley, is quite sick.

Eugene, little son of Wm. Guifoile, has been confined to his bed for the past two weeks.

Mr. Peter Kelly is still confined to his room with asthma.

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Master Paul Hunt, who is threatened with malarial fever, is getting along nicely.

Big Sale of Ladies' Sample Shoes.

\$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00 values, for \$1.98 CASH. These are sample pairs of Laird-Schober, Zeigler Bros., and Selby Shoe Co.'s make. See Mayville street window. Punch & Graves.

RELIGIOUS

Bishop Lewis W. Burton, of Lexington, will preach at the Episcopal church in this city Sunday, February 25. Communion.

The Young Woman's Auxiliary of the Baptist church will meet this afternoon (Wednesday) with Mrs. Lee O'Rear. As officers will be elected all members are urged to be present.

There will be preaching at the First Presbyterian Church next Sunday morning and evening. The public is cordially invited.

At the Baptist Church on Sunday morning the subject will be "The Doctrine of Election."

The Lenten services at St. Patrick's Church will be held every Wednesday and Friday evening. Every Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock there will be a lecture on the various Truths and Faith, delivered by the pastors of the neighboring congregations. The opening lecturer will be Rev. Father DeWaegener, of Lexington; the other speakers will be Father Puneh, Father Hillenmeyer, of Winchester; Father Schulte, of Lexington, and Father O'Dwyer, of Richmond. The public is cordially invited. On Friday evenings Stations of the Cross will be made.

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ON THE MARKET

Court Day--Good Crowd In Town,
Trade Was Brisk and Prices
Good.

About 2,000 cattle on the market. The quality, with a few exceptions, was common. Trade was fairly brisk and prices were good.

The best 1,000-lb. steers brought \$5.75, but that price was for steers in good flesh. \$5.25 was the price for bulk of sales. Yearlings at 5 to 5½c. Heifers at 4 to 4½c.

Cows at 3½c to 4½c, according to flesh.

Good sized crowd at the pens and a great many cattle sold during the day. We caught very few sales as it was impossible for us to be at the pens but a short time.

SALES.

Douglas Day sold 16 500-lb. yearlings to A. S. Hart at 5c.

Sam Wheeler sold a bunch of 550-lb. yearlings to Mr. Congleton at 5½c. They were good.

J. M. Bigstaff bought 28 about 500-lb. yearlings of James Arnett at \$25 per head.

John Stofer bought a bunch of 950-lb. steers of Paris Trimble at 5½c.

John Baker sold 10 500-lb. heifers to Cliff Gillaspie at \$4.25.

Geo. Wheeler sold 6 500-lb. steers to J. T. Denton, of Lexington, at 5c.

Mr. Denton also bought a bunch of 500-lb. heifers at \$4.40 from Mr. Wheeler.

J. H. Arnett sold 25 750-lb. steers to Sol Vannmeter, of Lexington, at 5c.

C. B. Blankenship sold some 1000-lb. cows at \$4.75 to Sam Laythram.

Hayden Jackson sold some 1075-lb. steers at \$5.75 and some 1000-lb. steers at \$5.40 to Sam Laythram. This stuff was fat.

J. B. Spratt sold 10 800-lb. steers to Jas. Ewing at \$5.20.

Murphy & Hughes sold 14 400-lb. cattle at 4½c.

We are indebted to Mr. Pieratt and Mr. Sledd for most of these sales.

HORSES AND MULES

Some trade in horses, good ones being in demand. A nice driver

sold at \$300 to a buyer out of the State. Several at \$150 to \$175.

A good many mules on the market and prices were good.

Greenwade & Co. sold 12 mules at from \$150 to \$270. Several pair at \$450 and \$475, and pair of 3-year-old mare mules at \$535 to a party in Paintsville, Ky.

McClintock & Son bought 15 head of mules at from \$125 to \$275 per head.

Jas. R. Magowan had a pair of heavy mare mules that weighed 3200 pounds. They were corkers.

Notice.

Any accounts due Mt. Sterling Collegiate Institute, or made out in the name of W. H. Haddock, are due and payable only to the undersigned. Said Haddock being in our employ.

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for one week is 5c for cup and saucer, and 5c for plate. Now is the time to get chinaware.

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Country Residence Burns.

Fire completely destroyed the frame residence on the Moore farm near Donaldson, in this county, last week. Loss about \$1,000. Origin of the fire is unknown.

Commissioner's Sitings

MONTGOMERY CIRCUIT COURT

JOHN MCCLAIN'S Committee, - Plff.

vs. Notice of Commissioner's Sitings

JOHN MCCLAIN, &c., - Dfts.

Notice is hereby given that I will begin my sitings in the above styled case at my office in The Traders National Bank building, in Mt. Sterling, Ky., on Thursday, February 29, 1912, and will close the same on March 27th, 1912.

All persons having claims against the estate of John McClain, deceased, are hereby notified to present the same to me, properly proven, within said time.

That during said time I will also audit and settle the accounts of M. C. Clay, Committee for John McClain.

R. G. KERN,

32-3 Special Commissioner M. C. C.

Little Miss Crooks Entertains.

Miss Laura Ray Crooks, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rice Crooks, entertained about 20 of her little friends at the home of her parents on West High street last Wednesday afternoon with a beautiful Valentine Party. The guests came en masque and a very enjoyable afternoon was had, during which delicious refreshments were served.

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Have you learned how to make friends and keep them? Do you know what it is to be a friend yourself?

Can you look an honest man or a pure woman in the eye? Do you see anything to love in a little child? Will a lonely dog follow you in the street?

Can you be high-minded and happy in the meaner drudgeries of life? Do you think washing dishes and hoeing corn just as compatible with high thinking as piano-playing or golf?

Are you good for anything to yourself? Can you be happy alone? Can you look out on the world and see anything except dollars and cents?

Can you look into a mud puddle by the wayside and see a clear sky? Can you see anything in the puddle but mud? Can you look into the sky at night and see beyond the stars? Can your soul claim relationship with the Creator?—Kansas City Star.

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Fair Play for the Counties.

Since the greatest resource of the State is its citizenship, the greatest asset of the State in an educated citizenship.

In Kentucky the bulk of citizenship is to be found outside the cities. By a strange lack of appreciation of an existing condition, the cities only are empowered to make full provision for their educational needs. The counties are not.

To place the counties on an footing with the cities in working out a problem which affects the State, there has been introduced in the House by Mr. Reed, of Mason county, and in the Senate by Senator Frost, a bill giving to counties the right to bond themselves for school purposes. The exercise of this right is wholly optional. Before it can be exercised, two hundred and fifty householders must petition for a vote on a bond issue. The vote must receive a constitutional majority. The expenditure of the monies received, if bonds are voted, is left to a bipartisan, non-salaried bond commission, the Fiscal Court and the County Board of Education constituting a system of checks and balances.

If the measure becomes law, no county will be called on to spend a dollar for this purpose unless its householders and voters so choose. In such counties as desire to improve their school system, every safeguard is provided for a dollar's worth of benefit for every dollar expended.

In brief, the measure proposes to give to every county the right of self help in matter of vital concern to its best interests. The county which enters on the enjoyment of that right will be protected. The county that does not will stand still, by virtue of its own choice.

The measure should pass both houses without a dissenting vote.—Louisville Times.

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Take Notice.

If you have not paid your poll tax you are on the delinquent list. It is my duty and the law requires me to publish this list. So I am giving you this last notice to come in and pay your taxes. If your name is published on the delinquent list you have only yourself to blame.

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† 2:15 p. m.	Lexington	† 7:05 p. m.
† 9:30 a. m.	Rothwell	† 2:05 p. m.
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West-Bound.

STATIONS	No. 1	No. 2	No. 3
	Daily	Daily	Daily
A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Lv. Quicksand			1:25
Lv. Jackson	5:05	1:50	
" O. & K. Junction	5:10	1:57	
" Athol	5:35	2:22	
" Beattyville Junction	6:03	2:51	
Torrent	6:25	3:12	
Campbell Junction	6:43	3:30	
Clay City	7:19	4:05	
" L. & E. Junction	7:51	4:37	
" Winchester	8:05	4:50	
Ar. Lexington	8:50	5:35	

East-Bound

STATIONS	No. 2	No. 4
	Daily	Daily
P. M.	A. M.	A. M.

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WOULD DO HENRY MUCH GOOD

Wife Wife Appreciated the Bishop's Reply to Her Too Serious Young Husband.

At the opening of a large religious meeting in Iowa a few years ago a missionary bishop from a neighboring state took the usual steps toward putting his audience in good humor by paying some compliments to the state in which they were assembled. He praised the products of Iowa one by one, and congratulated the people on living in so rich a land.

When his speech was ended a solemn young clergyman rose and said that he ventured to call the bishop's attention to one serious omission from the list of Iowa products, namely—eggs. The bishop, abundantly endowed with humor, promptly replied, to the delight of the assembly:

"I am extremely glad to learn that the hens of Iowa have so competent a young rooster to crow for them."

Now, besides his humor, the bishop had a tender heart, and could not help fearing that his impulsive retort might have wounded the young man—to say nothing of the young man's wife. When he met her at a reception after the meeting his fears were happily dispelled.

"I want to thank you," she said, "for your speech—especially for your answer to my husband. It will do Henry a great deal of good."

Fortunate Henry! Fortunate every young husband with an inclination to take himself too seriously who has a wise and devoted wife with an inclination of quite the opposite kind!—*Youth's Companion*.

THE WAY NOWADAYS.



Advertising Agent—Better mark those wash goods up 15 per cent.

Proprietor—Why?

Advertising Agent—The reduction will be more striking when we mark 'em down.

THACKERAY'S THANKS.

Thackeray's playful habit of wrapping rhyme up in prose is happily illustrated in the letter below, which was written to his friend Hole:

"Did you ever write and comply with your desire to have a page of autograph? You're welcome to a quire. Tell your friend the lady I have no pleasure higher than in writing pretty poetry and striking of the lyre in compliment to a gentleman whom benevolence did inspire to send me partridges and pheasants killed with shot or wire (but whatever the way of killing them, I equally admire) and who of such practices, I trust, will never tire. May you bring your birds down every time, this, my noble sportsman, is the fond desire of William Makepeace Thackeray, editor and esquire."—*Youth's Companion*.

COUNTRY BOARD.

Simeon Ford, New York's humorist and hotel man, was talking about country board.

"Some of it is pretty steep," he said. "I once boarded at a farm in Vermont. While I was stopping there the postmaster said to me:

"Yer puttin' up at a fine place, young feller. Yer landlady was tellin' me this mornin' how long she keeps all her boarders."

"Well, you see," said I, "she keeps them so thin that they look longer than they really are!"—*Exchange*.

NECESSITY.

"Mrs. Patt—Do you allow smoking in the house?"

Mrs. Batt—When it's the kitchen stove how can you stop it?

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FROM BALBOA TO RODGERS

Two Dramatic Views of the Pacific Ocean, More Than 400 Years Apart.

When Balboa "gazed on the Pacific, silent upon a peak in Darien," he was the central figure of a wonderful moment. Something more than 400 years later another man gazed on the Pacific under quite as dramatic circumstances. This other man had come out of the air. He had left the other ocean 4,000 miles across the continent whose narrow extremity Balboa had crossed, and all the way he had traveled in the thin currents about the land and water.

Cal. P. Rodgers, of the unromantic name, has done that which "stout Cortez" and Balboa thought possible only to witches and night fears.

Our epics tell of heroes in small spaces—Achilles and Hector, Acneas, Roland and Oliver and Arthur—even Ulysses, the wanderer, had a little earth and heaven. When our modernity shall be antiquity we, too, will have furnished epic incidents and persons moving on vaster planes.—*Kansas City Times*.

FUGHT A DUEL WITH EGGS

Two Philadelphia Men Had Bloodless Combat but Used Up \$200 Worth of Eggs.

Determined to fight a duel, but equally determined not to risk life and limb, Walter Hawthorne of Twenty-third and Tasker streets and Michael Cuddy of South Beechwood street, went to the freight yards of the Pennsylvania railroad yesterday morning and opened on each other with cakes of oleomargarine, butter, and eggs. The missiles flew thick and fast, and upward of \$200 worth of eatables had been spattered around when Railroad Detectives Williams and Campbell arrived on the scene.

The two duelists forgot each other for a moment, and opened fire on the two officers. They were finally arrested, however, and held under \$600 each bail for court, charged with breaking into a car and maliciously destroying the contents.—*Philadelphia Record*.

MEMORIAL TO TOM MOORE.

A literary shrine sacred to Tom Moore in the Vale of Avoca, situated in Wicklow, that county which is popularly described the garden of Ireland. It is now proposed to erect a memorial to the poet, and as the outcome of a public meeting the promoters of it consider that its erection in "the vale in whose bosom the bright waters meet" would be very appropriate.

It was while at Avoca that Moore wrote some of his latest known melodies. Nature herself has supplied until quite recently a memorial of the bard in the form of an oak tree, "Tom Moore's tree," under whose shade he did most of his writing. A remnant of it only now survives, owing to the desire of tourists to carry away portions of it as souvenirs of "the poet of all circles and the idol of his own."—*Pall Mall Gazette*.

BELL'S STRANGE EFFECT.

The Church of St. Nicaise, in the city of Rheims, is surrounded with pillars. When a certain bell in the tower is rung the top of one pillar always sways to the extent of seven inches on each side, although the base is immovable, and the stones are so firmly cemented as to seem like a solid piece of masonry. Notwithstanding that each of the four bells is about the same distance from the trembling pillar, none of the others has the slightest effect on it.—*Argonaut*.

NATURAL ERROR.

"How did that story pan out about the man up in the Bronx who found the big hailstone on his back stoop this morning?" asked the city editor.

"Nothing in it," replied the reporter. "He discovered it wasn't a hailstone, after all. The ice man left it there."—*Woman's Home Companion*.

BAD MISTAKE.

"That young lady is angry with me. The episode happened at a reception. I couldn't see her face under her big hat."

"And you mistook her for another young lady, eh? Nothing in that to get mad about."

"I mistook her for a piano lamp."

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New French Teacher at Wellesley
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In some recent reminiscences of the earlier and simpler days at Wellesley, when Mr. Durant was yet living, and showing an eager and constant interest in the 300 lively girls of his college family, Prof. Katherine Lee Bates tells a pleasant anecdote of the arrival of new French professor, whose first appearance was at the dinner table.

She had been heralded for weeks before by Mr. Durant's joyous proclamation of her high and lovely qualities, her Huguenot descent, her traditions of martyrdom, her heroic type of piety. All eyes were straining eagerly toward the doorway, where, beside the gracious presence of Miss Howard, appeared a tall, lithe figure, with a dark, alert, laughing face.

The impatient warders closed the doors a shade too soon, and the stranger's little finger was caught and pinched. Then upon our intent stillness broke the cry, "O gosh! O gosh!" as, with all the charm of French vivacity, the smarting finger was shaken high in the air.

Our ideas of Huguenot austerity brightened from that moment.

Mademoiselle's French and the German of a more brilliant acquisition, Prof. Carla Wenckebach, proved as admirable as their English was occasionally surprising.

One of the innumerable queer phrases attributed to Professor Wenckebach related also to a pinched finger—not her own, but that of a student. It had been crushed by a falling window. The professor wished to tell how severely the finger had been hurt.

"The poor child!" she explained, compassionately. "Her window dropped upon her hand and jolted her finger to a jam!"—*Youth's Companion*.

FIXTURE NOT A FAD.



Orville De Lay—How did I come here? Why, in my auto, of course.

Miss Wearie—I guess papa was right when he said that the auto has come to stay.

MODERN "HELOTS."

In sounding again a note of warning against the reckless dissipation of the coal-supplies of the British Isles, Sir William Ramsay makes an interesting comparison to show that, thanks to its coal, the people of England are, family for family, four times better off than those of Athens in its palmy days. Each Athenian family had, on the average, five helots, or slaves, to do its bidding. Now the "inan-power" of the coal annually consumed in Great Britain amounts to 175,000,000, and dividing this by 9,000,000, the number of families inhabiting the country, we see that each of those families has working for it the equivalent of nearly 20 helots.—*Youth's Companion*.

QUEEN'S GOOD WORK.

Queen Helene of Italy has been called the babies' queen, because she is so devoted to her children. She is very much interested in all that pertains to the welfare of children, and helps establish hospitals for them, being the patroness of many that are for the aid of children only. She also helps the older girls, establishing schools for lacemaking and otherwise striving to make them self supporting.

REMARKABLE LACK.

"No gloves! That is most extraordinary!"

"Well, ma'am, we get out of gloves occasionally just like other things."

"But, man alive, gloves by their very nature should be things always on hand."

COUNTY COURT DAYS.

Following is a list of days County Courts are held in counties near Mt. Sterling.

Bath, Owingsville, 2d Monday.
Bourbon Paris, 1st Monday.
Clark, Winchester, 4th Monday.
Fayette, Lexington, 2d Monday.
Fleming, Flemingsburg—4th Monday.

Harrison, Cynthiana—4th Monday.
Madison, Richmond, 1st Monday.
Montgomery, Mt. Sterling, 3rd Monday.
Nicholas, Carlisle, 2nd Monday.

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STOOPS.
(By B. M. Goodan.)

The wheat crop is making slow progress towards "recovery."

Many farmers have not finished stripping tobacco.

Miss Ollie Groves, of Springfield, continues very ill.

Several "pin hookers" were in this section last week trying to purchase tobacco.

We hear it "reliably reported" that a certain correspondent "forgot" to write their items last week and as a consequence the telephone had to be put in execution. Let's see if the "guilty party" owns up.

Mrs. Albert Hudson, who has been very ill, is recovering.

Mrs. Louisiana Goodan, of near Owingsville, spent last week with the family of H. C. Ficklin.

E. L. Fassett sold a bunch of 730-lb. cattle to Sid Hurt for \$5.00 per hundred.

J. Smith Trimble, of Louisville, was here to attend the funeral of his grandmother.

Saturday night dogs made a raid on T. N. Coons flock of sheep, killing 3 old ewes and 8 lambs, and on Sunday night they killed ten head for Roy Byrd. They are ruining sheep men in this section.

S. F. Deal went to Maysville Sunday to attend the funeral of his brother, Charles Deal.

Frank Byrd will not move here from Cincinnati March 1st, as he intended. He has rented his property to Richard Wills.

The death of Miss Elln Lenah is deeply regretted by her many friends in Bath and Montgomery counties. She was an excellent young lady, a dutiful child, a favorite with all. Countless years must pass away before her loved ones can realize that His will is best.

We mention the fact, though not as a matter of news, that the passing of this month constitutes nine

years that we have been "serving time" for the ADVOCATE. We are forced to modestly admit that we are "almost" the oldest in the ADVOCATE family.

GRASSY LICK.
(By Miss Elizabeth Carr.)

W. S. Carr visited relatives in Owingsville from Friday until Sunday.

Mrs. Lydia Rushford and children spent last Thursday with Jesse Rushford and wife at Camargo.

Miss June and Mr. Bush Barnes, of Howard's Mill, came last Saturday to visit their grandparents, John Montjoy and wife. Miss June returned home and Bush spent several days.

George Carr, of Winchester, spent Saturday and Sunday with his grandparents, T. J. Carr and wife.

Mrs. Lydia Rushford sold her crop of old tobacco to Allie Robertson for 7½¢ and her new crop at 6¢ per pound.

Several from here attended Jas. Richards' sale in Mt. Sterling Saturday.

Miss Alta McGuire, of Morgan county, is visiting her uncle, J. M. McGuire, and family.

Bro. Eversole filled his appointment here Sunday and preached an interesting sermon.

Miss Lillie Webster, of Somerset, spent from Saturday until Monday with Miss Lillie Cravens.

Miss Bernice Walker has begun her spring term of school here.

HOWARD'S MILL
(Mrs. W. W. Stevenson.)

John McQuithy is still on the sick list, with very little improvement.

There will be considerable changes around here this spring. Lawrence Malory has rented A. R. Turley's place and will move the first of March. Mr. Bob Montjoy, who has been working at the pump house, has given up his job and Mr. Boutman will take his place the first of March.

Fulton Green has sold his small

farm to Mr. Howard Howell and will move back to Mt. Sterling.

The two new cottages on the William Thompson farm will soon be completed.

Born to the wife of Joe Thompson, a son—Albert Lee.

We have a very interesting Sunday school here; also prayer meeting every Sunday night. All are invited to attend.

Bro. G. M. Byrd, of Jeffersonville, preached a very interesting sermon here last Sunday night.

JEFFERSONVILLE.
(By Miss Golden Byrd)

Mrs. Jno. Cole is very ill at this time.

Mr. Dock Swango will shortly start to Ohio.

Mr. Jno. M. Meyers is said to be slowly improving.

Miss Anna Meyers has been visiting her grandfather on Salford.

Mr. Will Cockerham has moved back to his farm near Jeffersonville.

Mrs. Emma Richardson is improving nicely.

Mr. Mitchell Prater, who has been in Indiana for some time, is visiting home folk.

A good crowd attended Sunday School at Camp Branch Sunday.

This beautiful sunshiny weather reminds us that spring will soon be here.

The neighbors say there will be a wedding to report soon.

JERSEY BULL.

The fine Jersey Bull, "Shake," service fee \$2.00. Cash when service rendered, with return privilege. Phone 476.

Will send after your cows.
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Winn Street.

Owen Gibson Sues for Divorce.

Owen T. Gibson, of Paris, formerly of this city, has filed suit in the Fayette Circuit Court for a divorce from his wife, Mrs. Willie Bowen Gibson, who, he alleges, abandoned him without cause more than a year ago.

Women's comfort shoes at \$1.48 during the Special Sale at BRUNNERS. 32-3

Jack Pierce Dead.

Jack Pierce, a well-known man of this city, died at St. Joseph's Hospital, Lexington, Wednesday morning, after a short illness. The remains were brought here at noon Thursday and interred in Machpelah Cemetery. Mr. Pierce was 65 years old and is survived by his wife and eleven children.

Now is the time to trade your old saddles and harness in on new ones at Conroy's. 32-2t

Another Man Claims to Have Murdered Gov. Goebel.

After receiving a mortal wound James Gilbert, a deputy sheriff at Helena, Ark., made the assertion that he was the assassin of Gov. Goebel, dying without amplifying this statement. Gilbert is unknown in Breathitt county and little stock is taken in his assertion.

Newspapers Change Hands.

The daily Winchester News and weekly Sun-Sentinel have been sold by their owners, Col. R. R. Perry and daughter, Miss Goldie, to Mr. C. C. Robbins, present business manager, and Mr. Lucien Beckner.

The new owners will take charge the first of March.

Mr. Beckner is a newspaper man of much ability, having formerly been editor of the Sun-Sentinel, while Mr. Robbins, who has been business manager of the News for some time, is a live wire and will add much to the success of the paper.

It is with much regret that we note the retirement of Col. R. R. Perry from the newspaper field as he is one of the oldest and ablest editors in the State—while his daughter, Miss Goldie, who has been editor of the paper during her father's recent illness has come

to be recognized as one of the leading newspaper women in the South and Miss Perry, like her father will be sadly missed from the journalistic field.

Going to the Jewelry Auction?

For Sale.

A sound bay mare, 7 years old; perfectly gentle for lady. Phone 207-y. 32-4t

Mrs. J. C. Hamilton.

Social Meeting of Literary Club.

Mrs. William Royster Thompson was hostess of the Woman's Literary Club on last Tuesday afternoon at her lovely home on West High street. Valentine decorations were used for the occasion, the idea carried out in every particular being very unique and during the pleasant hours a substantial plate lunch was served.

Rend about the big auction sale to begin Thursday, February 22.

SPECIAL until March 2. All women's \$4 shoes, including RED CROSS and Par Excellent at \$3.25. 32-3 BRUNNER, the Shoe Man.

Schoberth to Oppose Cantrill.

Following a conference with forty or fifty men, representing every county in the Seventh congressional district, Harry Schoberth, Representative at this session of the Kentucky Legislature from Woodford county, announced that he had decided to enter the race against Campbell Cantrill for the Democratic nomination for Congress from this district. The nomination is to be made at a primary election called for March 16, and Mr. Schoberth said that between now and then he would devote the greater part of his time to a canvass of the voters.

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Gov. Harmon of Ohio Addresses General Assembly.

Governor Harmon, of Ohio, was entertained at a smoker in Frankfort Tuesday evening and addressed the members of the General Assembly. The Committee on Entertainment, through its chairman, Senator L. W. Arnett, of Covington, arranged an excellent program for his entertainment.

For Sale.

All kinds of hay for sale. Phones 422-402A. 32-4t

T. J. Bigstaff.

Lexington Officeholders Trying to Serve Full Term of Office.

Lexington officeholders who would be legislated out of office when commission government becomes a fact next January, are said to have a bill introduced at Frankfort retaining them in office for full four-year terms.

Shingles and Posts.

Have some extra good sawed chestnut shingles and good locust posts for sale. Phone 526.

T. J. Douglas.

Sells Cox Residence.

W. Hoffman Wood, real estate agent, has sold to William H. Wyatt, the two-story frame residence of Mrs. Carrie Cox, on Holt avenue, for a private price. Possession will be given March 1. Mr. Wyatt will improve the property and will rent it out for residence purposes.

Mrs. Maupin's Sister Dead.

Mrs. Flora McIntosh, sister of Mrs. W. R. Maupin, of this city, died recently at her home in Los Angeles, Cal. Mrs. McIntosh was about 56 years of age and is survived by one daughter, who formerly made her home with Mrs. Maupin.

Chases plush buggy robes for east at Conroy's. 32-2t

PUBLIC SALE!

As Administrator of the estate of T. J. Hovermale, deceased, I will, on

Wednesday, Feb. 28, '12

offer at Public Sale, the following:

1 Cow and Calf, 1 Buggy

1 set Blacksmith Tools

Lot Household and Kitchen Furniture

TERMS CASH

H. M. Hovermale, Adm.

R. T. Myers, Auctioneer

Woman Fatally Burned.

While smoking at her home in Morgan county, Miss Analsea Griffiths was burned so badly that death followed in a few hours. The dress caught fire from shavings she was using in lighting the pipe. She was forty-five years old and unmarried.

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